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Subject: Drug Testing Regulations

Hello,

I'm a paruretic and have been one for most of my life. I want to briefly state that this is a very debilitating problem for most people. Mere words can not express the anguish and frustration of not being able to "pee" on demand. I believe that alternative methods of drug testing such as hair, saliva and patch tests should be the final determination, and no further tests such as urine samples should be asked of any person who could be potentially suffering from this problem. Please allow us to have some type of alternative method of drug testing that will accord us some type of human dignity. I speak on behalf of thousands and perhaps millions of others who suffer from Paruresis. Please visit this web site to find out more about Paruresis: <http://www.paruresis.org/>. I believe that the concerns of people who suffer from Paruresis should be given careful consideration before implementing and finalizing these policies that pertain to drug testing in the workplace. Please help. Thank you for your time and consideration.

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